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WHY DIDN' TWE THINK OF THIS OURSELVES?

While the country is writing pieces to the papers and standing on the corners advancing particular pet ideas as how best the present situation could be overcome, we had the remedy right at our back door, and didn't know it

Governor O'Neal, after trying to call another meeting of the Southern governors, discovered the remedy, alone, by himself And his plan is so simple till it shocks us all to think we hadn't thought of it ourselves His plan is to get the cotton mills to pay 10c a pound for cotton.

He failed to tell us in his article why the mill men should begin paying 10 cents a pound for their cotton as long as they get what they want for 7 cents.

The Advertiser, which gave space for the O'Neal Plan of saving the cotton farmer by getting the mill operatives to pay 10c a pound, also had a long item sent out from Washington, from Hon Fred Blackmon. Mr. Blackmon, talking in that vein that all congressmen assume when they have reached Washington, that fatherly, elderly brother tone of voice, says the farmer has the remedy in his own hands. He, with the farseeing eye of a prophet is constrained to believe that if the farmers will raise just half as much cotton during 1915 as they have been raising, that it will make the price go up

We've been told that g eat minds run in the same channel.

We ourselves had thought of that plan. We admit it now, after it's too late, but hadn't the temerity to advance that theory, fearing that from so insignificant a source it wouldn't receive the plaudits that is justly merited.

But now Hon. Blackmon, in the rooms of a palatial hotel at Washington looks back over Alabama's thousands of sheeny acres of distressed cotton, waves his wand in one hand, holding an open boll in the other to get concentrated attion, and tells the grower that his only relief from present situation, is not to do it again,

The doomed assassin, ten minutes before the trigger is pulled that sends his soul to eternity, is told by the pardoning power that the way to keep clear of the gallows is not to commit murder again

As women and children scramble from a leaky boat in mid-ocean, the captain calls to them to never get on the water again unless they can swim.

The very simplicity of the thing is what appeals to us all

Just as easy as slipping from the bear back of a fat mule as he shies from a gopher in the jam of the fence.

We parallel the two great ideas on How to Save the Farmer, both advanced by able men; men who have made their marks upon the pages of Alabama history. Get the mills to pay 10c a pound, plant half a crop next year.

THE CLOUDS ARE LIFTING.

Mobile Register.

Is there any reason why the people of the United States should be low-spirited over the business out look? This is a pretty big question that cannot be answered in a few words, but judging from the tone of the editorials in the press of the nation, from the statements made by the most influential bankers and business men of the country and from interviews with those who have the right to express an opinion that will be respected, the answer must be that the country is in a good condition.

Business is rapidly adjusting itself to the changes brought about by the European war, and the south which feels the burden of the war more than any other section, is showing no alarm, no excitement, no panic over the status of the cotton market Everywhere over this region men are giving thought to the cotton situation, seeking a way out of the present difficulty, and going ahead as if there were no disturbance If there were any uneasiness cotton would be dumped on the market as fast as it is ginned, and apparently no strain has yet been placed on the credit of the country by this course

Out West there is a bumper grain crop with top prices being paid for it The export trade in grain is moving as if there were no war, and money is coming into the country in large quantities The movement of this crop will lift some of the burden from the banks and will leave them free to help in the crop situation in the South

Shipping is beginning to pick up and so far the war has stopped altogether only the merchant marine of Germany and Austria While it is far from normal, yet it is readjusting itself to the new basis and altogether is in a hopeful condition.

Immigration has stopped and the labor of the country is thus rid of competition that kept wages down Now there is prospect that every capable, worthy man will get employment at fair wages.

Our people are quickly taking on habits of thrift and economy and the extravagance of former years has ceased Money that was pouring into Europe for luxuries is now being spent in America for merchandise that is just as good without the tariff tax label on it This is serving to extend home markets, and our people are absorbing merchandise that formerly went abroad.

It is estimated that at least 800,000 bales of cotton have been bought in the buy-a-bale movement at ten cents a pound, and that before the movement spends its force two million bales will thus have been valorized

Many new uses are being found for cotton and orders are being filled for the erection in several parts of the country for immense mills to manufacture coarse cotton bags The Amoskeag Mills, one of the largest in America, have contracted for an immense mill of this character Out of this distress have already come new markets for American goods and American raw products.

Intelligent, systematic and aggressive efforts are being made to get control of the enormous trade in the republics of Central and South America, and as soon as the financial arrangements can be established, with the interchange of bills of credit on New York, our coal and manufactured products will find a rich market of unusual profit.

There are many other good signs on the horizon. So let us not be low-spirited The resources of this country have never failed to meet any strain put upon them and we do not know how strong we are. This test we are now undergoing is showing us that we are really stronger than any of us thought Don't knock Boost.

ANOTHER ALABAMA CITY UNDER COMMISSION.

Birmingham Ledger

Commission form of government went into operation at Florence last Wednesday, with three members of the board in control The people of Florence, profiting from their observation of the successful experience of other Alabama cities which had inaugurated this progressive system of municipal management determined to put their local affairs on a business-like and economic basis Hence the change It was a long step in the direction of a common sense improvement whereby neglect, extravagance and mismanagement by an irresponsible political regime, made place for an effective plan of protection to the tax payer

Florence, like other Alabama cities and towns that adopted this constructive plan, will find that many costly blunders will be corrected under commission government, that wiser and more economic expenditures of municipal revenues will be established, and that placing of responsibility in the public service will be far easier— and much more practical than under the aldermanic system of waste and burden.

In commission government lies largely the solution of most of the municipal problems This has been demonstrated by the scores of cities large as well as small, in various parts of the country that repudiated aldermanic politics as a system of local government and adopted a common sense plan Not one of these cities, many of which made the change as a matter of self preservation, others as a means of constructive progress, have seriously contemplated going back to the old plan of neglect and abuse This in itself speaks in convincing support of commission government

Of course much depends upon the wisdom, patriotism and civic pride of the voters in their choice of commissioners. As a rule, however, a people who become aroused to the needs and benefits of a change of system from political influence to business principles, can be relied on to elect men as their representatives who are qualified in experience, industry and character to apply the new system to community conditions and necessities and hence the helpful fruits of the movement in its application as well as in its conception

When the banker refuses to loan money to the farmer who plants more than a half a crop of cotton, and when the supply merchant, the guano merchant, the red wagon merchant, refuse to sell to the man who plants more than a half a crop of cotton, you'll hear something drop, and it won't be the price of cotton, either,

The Million Dollar Mystery is a most interesting story and when you see it on the screen at the Palace Mondays, you enjoy it

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IF KIDNEYS AND BLADDER BOTHER

Take Salts to Flush Kidneys and Neutralize Irritating Acids.

Kidney and bladder weakness result from uric acid, says a noted authority. The kidneys filter this acid from the blood and pass it on to the bladder, where it often remains to irritate and inflame, causing a burning scalding sensation, or setting up an irritation at the neck of the bladder, obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night The sufferer is in constant dread the water passes sometimes with a scalding sensation and is very profuse, again, there is difficulty in avoiding it.

Bladder weakness, most folks call it because they can t control urination While it is extremely annoying and sometimes very painful, this is really one of the most simple ailments to overcome Get about four ounces of Jad Salts from your pharmacist and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast, continue this for two or three days This will neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer is a source of irritation to the bladder and urinary organs which then act normally again

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FINED IN MAYOR'S COURT.

Dan Thornton, colored, was fined $50 on a chrage of carrying a concealed revolver, when tried in Mayor's court Monday morning Several other cases of minor importance were disposed of

The Rivals.

It was at Nice Two English girls are standing at the foot of a hotel staircase roaring with laughter "For pity's sake Mabel, don't!" said one of the matrons who were with them "They'll take you for one of those horrid American girls" An American girl happened to be standing at the head of the stairs and quietly observed "I guess not, with those awfully big feet!"

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# :-SPORTS:-

By Frank G. Menke.

New York, Oct. 5.—Second in importance to the battle between teams in the world series will be the battle between Johnny Evers, of the Braves, and Eddie Collins of the Athletics, in which each will attempt to convince the public that he is the greatest second baseman in baseball today.

For many years the question 'as to which player was the most valuable to a team has been a mooted one. Collins has a big edge on Evers in batting, but the supporters of "Trojan Johnny" declares Collins' supremacy ends there. They claim that Collins, brainy as he is, must yield to Evers in the field generalship.

Evers ranks head and shoulders above any second baseman in the National League. Collins holds the same position in the American League and so the battle between the rival second basemen in the world series may enable the fans to decide which is entitled to the honor of being the real "Keystone King."

Collins, by his wonderful fielding, his great batting, quick thinking and fine baserunning, has been the biggest single factor in the success of the Athletics during the past five years. Collins always has been "on the job." He has answered every call; he never has failed in a crisis.

And what is true of Collins is equally true of Evers. Before the advent of Collins, the Brave second sacker ranked as the greatest keystone player in the game. He stood head and shoulders above every other second baseman from 1904 to 1910, with the exception of the great Lajoie. The big Frenchman was the only man who challenged his claim, yet, when comparisons were made, the majority of fans gave the honors to Evers.

Evers never was a terrific hitter, yet he is ranked as one of the timeliest hitters in baseball. Seldom has he failed to deliver a hit when a hit was needed. His ability in that direction is almost uncanny. A hundred times back in the old Cub days, Evers has gone to bat and delivered the blow that gave his team the games. Since joining the Braves Evers has continued his little trick.

Evers is a better fielder than Collins, although Collins is a wonder at his position. Evers fielding average so far this year is better than Collins'. His fielding average for his 12 years in fast company is better than Collins average for his nine years.

In base stealing, Collins has the edge this year. And he had it for the other years. But the edge is not so large as to say that Collins overshadows Evers in this direction to any great extent.

Evers is almost the exact opposite of Collins' temperament. Evers is a bundle of nerves. He is so full of "pep" that it almost runs riot on a ball field. Evers is a fighter. And he never quits. He fights just as hard for a game when his team seems hopelessly beaten as he does when the game is a nip-and-tuck affair.

Collins, in contrast, is inclined to quietness. Collins isn't a Sphinx by any means, but long association with Connie Mack, and a study of his methods, has convinced him that ball games are won just as easy without noise as with noise. Collins exhibits "pep" when occasion demands—but he keeps it in hiding until the occasion calls for it.

When it comes to brains, there are many who believe that Evers has the advantage of Collins. The Braves second baseman has a chain of lightning brain. He thinks so rapidly and carries out the dictates of his brain with such dispatch that the fans hardly can follow his movements.

It was Evers who won the 1906 Championship for the Cubs through the nimbleness of his brain. It was Evers who saw that Merkle had failed to touch second base in the final inning of a game in September. Evers got the ball and touched the base, claiming a force out. The claim later was allowed and the game played over. The Cubs won—and the victory gave them the pennant.

The act stands out as the greatest of Evers' career, yet he has performed a thousand quick thinking acts in the past that saved his team many a game.

And so fandom has in store a treat when these two marvelous second basemen, holding the commanding positions for the rival clubs, meet for the first time in a world series. The Cubs and Athletics met in 1910, but Evers, owing to illness, was forced out of the series, and the fans had no chance to see the two second sackers fighting it out in the blue ribbon event of baseball for the unquestioned title of "King."

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When you have read the Million Dollar Mystery as it appears in Saturday's Eagle, don't fail to see it on the screen at the Palace.

# STORIES FROM THE FIRING LINE

By HERBERT TEMPLE.
(European Manager of the International News Service.)

London, Oct. 5.—Several hundred wounded British troops are now arriving daily in London, and they bring with them highly interesting personal stories of the war. At the railway stations, the wounded are always greeted with cheers and money, flowers and delicacies are showered on them.

"It was at Mons on Monday on the bridge across the canal there, right in the thick of it," said a young infantryman. "It was there that I got this trouble, a bullet in the thigh," he added, pointing to a bandaged limb. "But I got the chap who did it," he went on gaily, and produced a tobacoc tin in which, with a few shreds of tobacco, was a shrapnel bullet.

"We did not have much shelter where I was," he said. "We just had to do the best we could. The fire was frightfully heavy, but you know they cannot shoot for toffee and waste an awful lot of ammunition. The artillery are the worst, but even they can't shoot. It's number that does it—nothing else.

"As soon as we shot one lot down another came up. That's what happened all the time. Their losses must be enormous."

"Shoot!" contemptuously echoed a burly infantryman, whose head was swathed in bandages. "Germans shoot! Why, they could not hit this station at a thousand yards."

An Argyll and Sutherland Highlander with a tremendous Scottish accent held forth from a stretcher to a group of listeners.

"I wonder whether we will be allowed to stop in a hospital here," he said. "I've been chased out of two already. The Germans shelled us in the field hospitals, but they didn't do much damage, you know—artillery don't unless they can shoot, and these couldn't."

"I've been picking up clothes as I came down," he went on, pointing to his shoes and socks. "These are French, and so is this blanket," he said, and was going to give further details when he was picked up and placed in a motor car.

"Tell you another time;—the French have been awfully kind to us," he cried as he was borne off.

"I think a great many of our fellows are only wounded," said a cavalryman. "It does not do to take too much notice of what we hear. We were told out there that the 2nd Dragoons had been cut up, but we came across them, and they had lost very few men."

"The Germans were like a great big battering ram," said another. They did not seem to mind how many were killed, and sometimes their men were simply thrown away.

"At one place the German infantry filled the streets and were simply mown down by our guns. It was a terrible punishment.

"They have been suffering heavily all along, but the French are chasing them now, and they are getting it in the neck properly."

The first Red Cross train that arrived at Waterloo carried officers. First of all, those who were able to walk were assisted to alight. Whatever their pain, they disguised it by smiling, and several were smoking. Some had their heads enveloped in bandages; others wore slings. Many walked with a limp, and several placed their arms around the necks of R. A. M. C. men, who were assisted to vehicles.

One man walked with the aid of a crutch. Another had been hurt on the jaw, but he was smoking a pipe with a great relish.

Here and there tunics were torn. In some cases they had been ripped open down the arms or on the shoulder to permit the surgeons to attend to the wounds.

Then the stretcher brigade turned its attention to the officers who remained in the "wards" of the train. Pillows and blankets were placed on the stretchers, and a procession filed up the platform and entered the train.

The first officer brought out was reading a newspaper and smoking a cigarette. The next man, too, was smoking. His injury was to the leg. A third had his knees drawn up. Ambulance wagons and busses were waiting, andw one by one the wounded were placed on beds and driven to the hospital.

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Rural Carrier Bell, who ran down the little Williams boy Saturday afternoon on a motorcycle, says that he collided with the boy after passing a wagon, when h edidn't see the boy till he was too near to stop, and that he was not making over eight or ten miles per hour. The accident happened at a crowded section of the street, where a monkey was attracting attention. Mr. Bell also says that after he got to the postoffice, he sent back to find out how badly the boy was hurt, but that he had gone.

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**Wanted Wanted**

Business.

Do you want business? If you do, go after it, for it is here and the man that is not getting it, is just doing like many; waiting for it to come to him. BUT JUST A WORD: If you ever do expect to get busy, NOW IS THE TIME, for if you continue to pay high rents with SMALL SALARIES, you will live to regret it. The OLD SAYING that it is easier and cheaper to RENT than it is to OWN A HOME, and WE want to tell oyu that WE have an OLD ADAGE, and it is this: THAT A ROLLING STONE GATHERS NO MOSS; so it is with the constant mover, for every time you move you lose.

We have quite a number of choice residences well located that we are selling on the EASY PAY PLAN, and if you cannot see the CHANCE of YOUR LIFE it is up to you to regret it in later years, so save while you can. Farm lands are always desirable and we have them in any size, from one to thirty horse farms.

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The Million Dollar Mystery picture is always interesting, and is shown at the Palace on Mondays.

The court house was packed with farmers, bankers and others Saturday, at which time the cotton situation was tohroughly discussed, but not plans for immediate relief offered. Several Dothan bankers, along with progressive farmers, made interesting talks. The meeting served to bring aobut a beter understanding of present conditions.

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Born, to Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Pilcher, a fine girl.

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**Uncle Eben.**

"De man who always laughs at trouble," said Uncle Eben, "may be a philosopher; an' den ag'in he may have a powerful pore sense of humor."

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**This is a nation-wide movement, and the credit for this must be given three young women of Washington, Miss Clark, daughter of Champ Clark; Miss Smith, daughter of Hoke Smith; Miss Burleson, daughter of Post-Master-General Burleson.**

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# SOCIETY NEWS

MRS. ERIC GELLERSTEDT, Editor. TELEPHONE 644

SUNSHINE.

A little gold amid the gray—
That's sunshine.
A little brightness on the way—
That's sunshine.
A little glimpsing of the blue,
A little widening of the view,
A little heaven breaking through—
That's sunshine.

A little looking for the light—
That's sunshine.
A little patience through the night,
That's sunshine.
A little bowing of the will,
A little resting on the hill,
A little standing very still—
That's sunshine.

A little smiling through the tears—
That's sunshine.
A little faith behind the fears
That's sunshine.
A little folding of the hand,
A little yielding of demand,
A little grace to understand—
That's sunshine.

—Stuart McLean.

MY CREED.

I would be true, for there are those who trust me;
I would be pure, for there are those who care;
I would be strong, for there is much to suffer;
I would be brave, for there is much to dare,
I would be a friend of all, the foe, the friendless;
I would be giving and forget the gift;
I would be humble, for I know my weakness;
I would look up and laugh and love and lift.

—Alice E. Wells, in The Household.

TO WREST FASHIONS FROM PARIS—

Mrs. J. Borden Harriman, the New York society leader, has been active in organizing New York dress makers for a fashion disolay at the Ritz Carlton, through which she hopes to wrest from Paris the right to dictate the world's fashions. The proceeds of the exhibit are to be given to charity, says an exchange.

Many American women have thought that the time was ripe for a change from French styles for all women, to American styles for American women, and the action of Mrs. Harriman is right in line with this idea. It is said that one good effect of the present conditions is that the conventional idea that Paris is the only place where authoritative new styles may be obtained will be replaced by a movement to make the good American names of some of the best garment makers of this country as famous as are those of Paul Poiret, Lucille and Virot, and all the other French folk who have held the world of women in thralldom.

For some years there has been a determined effort to bring about the emancipation of the women of America from the styles of France, but hitherto it has proven futile because the leaders in the smart set in New York and elsewhere refused to be emancipated. Now, however, with no possible way to procure any French costumes or hats after the supply already on this side of the ocean is exhausted, and with women as prominent in the world of society as Mrs. Harriman at the head of the movement, the time really seems to be near when the American women will at last adopt typically American styles.—Exchange.

The condition of war and revolution throughout the world has brought us to a testing time. Our loyalty to the Master's cause, our loyalty to the missionaries and to the native workers whom it has been our privilege to win, is being tested in this time of stress and strain. Let us all redouble our efforts, our prayer, and our giving and prove to the world that God's work has first place in our lives.—Missionary Bulletin.

Mrs. Fletcher Black of Panama City and Mrs. Ernest Loraine of Noma, Fla., spent several days last week with Mrs. R. H. Walker and Mrs. John Jones.

A FAMOUS VISITOR FROM BUDAPEST—

Columbus Ledger.

Mme. Rosika Schwimmer, who came to America as the representative of the women of ten nations to get the president to take immediate steps towards mediation among the warring powers, called while in Washington upon Mrs. Gloria Smith Tinnin, the able and charmnig president of the Washington Woman Council at her office in the Munsey building. Mme. Schwimmer stated that the women of America could not understand the extent of the awful tragedy taking place across the ocean nor could they realize the great significance of the present conflict. "There will not only be a new map of Europe," Mme Schwimmer told Mrs. Tinnin, but a new Europe—physically, mentally and morally and that upon women, the greatest sufferers from the ravages of war and its terrible consequences will develop the Herculean task of the regeneration of Europe.


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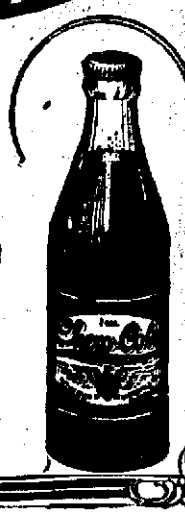
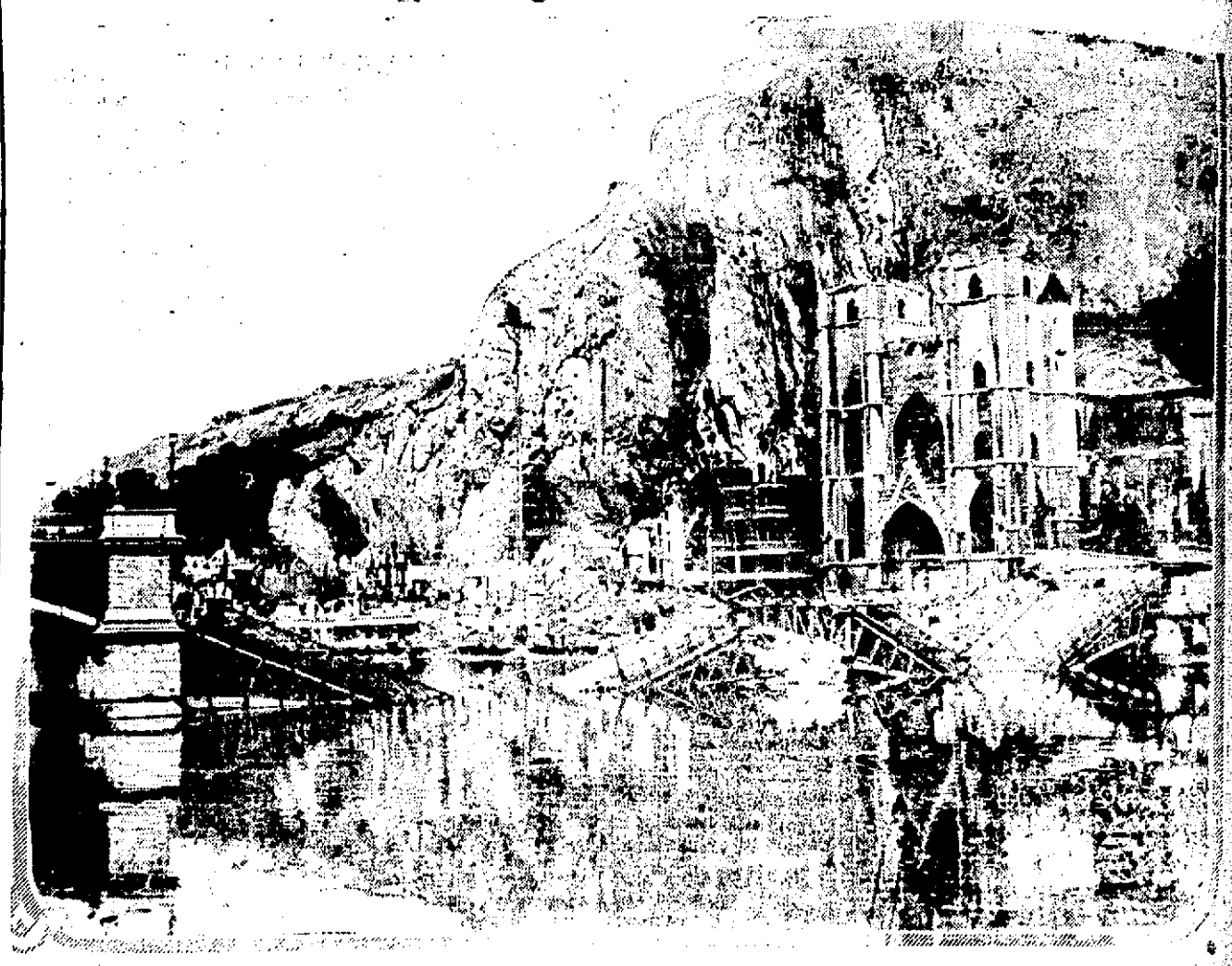



# Havoc Wrought By German Shells At Dinant



This photograph, made after the occupation of the city of Dinant by the German invaders, shows the ruins of the bridge over the Meuse and the ruins of Notre Dame cathedral. The ancient citadel, from which a hot fire was poured into the ranks of the Germans until silenced by the heavier guns of the Kaiser's artillery, is shown at the top of the hill. (Copyright by International News Service.)

BEAUTIFUL MUSIC AT LA FAYETTE STREET CHURCH—

A delightful feature of the evening service at the LaFayette Avenue Methodist church on Sunday was a violin solo, "Souvenir," by Franz Drydla, rendered by Miss Louise Lee, accompanied by Miss Rosemary Lee.

Both young ladies are accomplished musicians and their playing is always appreciated and enjoyed. They studied at the Cincinnati Conservatory of Music for several years. Chevalier P. A. Tirindella was Miss Louise Lee's instructor in violin.

UNEMPLOYED DIG TRENCHES.

Rome, Oct. 5.—Advices reaching here say the problem of caring for the unemployed in Venice is being solved by the engagements of thousands in digging entrenchments around the city, erecting fortifications and preparing defenses upon the surrounding heights.

## President Thinks Congress May Adjourn Soon

Washington, Oct. 5.—The President told callers today that he sees no reason why Congress should not adjourn after passing the war tax and Clayton anti-trust bills.

At the coming regular session the President expects the Philippine, ship purchase and conservation measures to be passed.

ANOTHER PLAGUE CASE FOUN DAT NEW ORLEANS

New Orleans, Oct. 5.—Four hours after being removed to the isolation hospital today Ching Yu, a laundryman residing in Baronne street near Calliope, died from bubonic plague, according to the announcement of federal health authorities. He was the tenth victim of the disease since it mades its appearance here June 27 and brought the total of human cases of plague to 30. The twenty-ninth case was that of John P. Kearney, aged four years and residing at 1573 Chippewa St., which developed early today.

LABOR EDITOR FREED OF A MURDER CHARGE

Lincoln, Ill., Oct., 5.—Carl Person, editor of a labor magazine, was found not guilty today of the murder December 30, 1913, of Antonne Musser, once chief of police of Clinton, Ill. Person assehted that he shot in self defense.

The case grew out of the strike of Illinois Central machinists. Musser was employed on the road and Person espoused the strikers' cause in his publication. Person's self-defense plea was supported by evidence intended to prove conspiracy aaginst his life by Illinois Central strike breakers.

## Germans Take Three Forts at Antwerp

Berlin, Oct. 5.—An official statement today says Forts Lefrre, Waelhem and Koenigshoycht at Antwerp have been taken by Germans, together with thirty guns. "This makes attack on the inner circle and the town possible," the statement concluded.

WILHELM ASKS AID OF ALMIGHTY GOD

London, Oct. 5.—A dispatch from Dresden says that Emperor Wilhelm after reviewing the Saxon troops sent a message to the King of Saxony which closes with these words.

"The spirit of the troops is excellent. With an army of this character we will be able to meet the difficult task before us for which may the Almighty God give us his aid."

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